

LOCAL MATTERS.

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Senatorial and Judicial Convention.

The County Central Committees of Franklin and Pickaway Counties have agreed upon Wednesday, the fourth day of September, as the day for the meeting of the delegates from the counties of Franklin, Pickaway and Madison, for the nomination of a candidate for Senator, and a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas.

It is requested that our Democratic friends in Madison County will send delegates to the Judicial Convention.

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Class	Entries
1. Farm Crops	27
2. Cattle—Thoroughbred	27
3. Do—Do—Do	15
4. Do—Do—Do	8
5. The Wool Sheep	13
6. Middle Wool	10
7. Long Wool	10
8. Fat	10
9. Hogs—Large Breeds	16
10. Do—Small	7
11. Horses—Thoroughbred	12
12. Road Horses	93
13. Matched and Saddle Horses	24
14. Time	24
15. Horses of All Work	69
16. Draft Horses	12
17. Station with Collar	2
18. Jacks, etc.	7
19. Harness—Complete	23
20. Ladies' Horseman	9
21. Footing	53
22. Farm Implements	12
23. Domestic Manufactures	17
24. Ladies' Do	17
25. Ornamental	17
26. Baskets, Boxes, etc.	70
27. Pottery	15
28. Carriages	1
29. Fruit	1
30. Flowers—Tropical	8
31. Do—Amateur	2
32. Do	2

Class 30—Ladies' Horseman will be open for entries until the last day of the Fair.

The entries in Class 34—Ladies' Domestic Manufactures—are more numerous than they were last year. Four of the articles on the list in this class this year were entered by a patient in the Linnæan Asylum, in this city.

The entries of stock are generally large. Forty new stalls were put up on the grounds this season, and all both new and old, are already filled. The number of horses entered is considerably larger than it was last year, and among them are some very fine specimens. The same of the cattle, sheep and swine.

Among the curiosities in the Stock Department, are Mr. RABY's fine imported mare, and his four beautiful Shetland ponies. One of the latter is a handsome dwarf pony apparently only about six or seven hands high. It is probably the smallest specimen of the horse kind ever seen in this part of the country.

To-day the articles in the different departments will be arranged and on exhibition. The different committees will commence their examinations preparatory to making their awards of premiums. One thousand dollars are to be awarded in premiums and all paid in cash.

Probably the list of entries we have given above will be considerably enlarged. We were informed by Mr. JOHN M. FROST, Treasurer of the County Agricultural Board, that the receipts at five o'clock last evening, had amounted to about \$300.

Our citizens will find the County Fair this year not inferior, in many respects, to what it has been in any former year.

RECENT APPOINTMENTS.—Gov. DENISON has recently made the following appointments: Alfred Taylor, of Cleveland, Surgeon of 24th Regiment Ohio Cavalry.

E. T. Coase, Zanesville, Surgeon, 13th Regiment.

Levin P. Backley, Canton, Colonel, 20th Regiment.

George A. Spier, Canton, Surgeon, 47th Regiment.

Augustus Dittig, Canton, Asst. Surgeon, 47th Regiment.

Henry T. Grier, Washington, Surgeon, 30th Regiment.

Jacob T. Cantwell, Mansfield, Surgeon, 34th Regiment.

J. R. Arter, Stainesville, Surgeon, 31st Regiment.

A. Wilson, Sidney, Asst. Surgeon, 1st Regiment.

Theo. G. Cleveland, Cleveland, Surgeon, 41st Regiment.

Henry Lange, Cleveland, Chaplain, 30th Regiment.

Richard McClain, Coconino, Major, 61st Regiment.

Capl. L. J. Jackson, with a company of one hundred and ten men, from Somerset, Perry county, arrived in the city last evening on the way to Camp Chase. Capl. Jackson was in the three months' service in Western Virginia, and gained the entire confidence of those under his command.

Gas Poles and Lamps.—The City Council committee on Gas and Gas Lights have awarded the contract to Messrs. Mirvort & Jones to furnish the streets with additional gas posts and lamps, in conformity with those now in use in the city, at \$21.97, being the lowest bid.

The Ladies of Bigelow Chapel will hold their last Aid Society for this Conference year, on to-morrow (Thursday) evening, at the church, where they and their pastor will be pleased to meet all their friends.

Grand Union Sing.—All the Singing Classes in the different parts of the county, will meet and unite their voices upon the tunes in the "Musical Mirror," at the County Fair Grounds, on Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock. All take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

From Washington.

Washington, Sept. 3.—Secretary Seward and Cameron having returned, Attorney General Bates is the only member of the Cabinet out of the city.

During the past week reports have been prevalent here and elsewhere, based on alleged private accounts, of disaster to Gen. Rosecrans' command; but it is certain that the War Department has no such information.

Secretary Chase has issued a patriotic appeal to the citizens of the United States in behalf of the National Loan.

Minister Adams writes that he does not hold the British Government contemplates any change of position, so long as the blockade is continued.

Washington, Sept. 3.—Heavy firing was heard on the Virginia side this morning, and the reports are contradictory concerning it.

The Mayor of Washington has appointed John H. Bradley, Counselor at Law, in place of James M. Carlisle, resigned.

It has been determined by Government to hold the position at Cape Hatteras, although the original intention was to destroy and abandon the work, but now it will be made a dangerous one for army and navy forces. This expedition is but the commencement of operations, for which the Navy Department has made ample preparations, and which will be rapidly developed.

The propeller Herbert arrived yesterday, having brought as prize a small sloop taken with revolvers, primers and ammunition, including 1000 barrels of percussion caps, blankets, surgical instruments, medicines, etc. She was worked by three men, one of whom escaped to the Virginia shore, the others were taken prisoners. The sloop is said to have taken on freight in Washington.

Herbert shelled the woods and beach near the Rappahannock, without discovering any rebels.

A dispatch has been received here to-day from Richmond via Louisville, announcing the death of Jeff. Davis. This account for the display of flags at half-mast from the rebel ramparts to-day.

The rebels at Munson's Hill are practicing their artillery in throwing balls and shells into adjacent houses, compelling the inmates, chiefly women and children, to flee to the woods for safety.

From the South via Louisville.

Louisville, Sept. 2.—The Journal says there are two positions, military companies of infantry and cavalry at Board's Station, on the Louisville and Lexington railroad, armed with State Guard arms. The Courier of this evening says that fears are entertained of a collision among the citizens of New Richmond.

The Opelousa (La.) Courier of August 24, says that two schooners had run the blockade at the mouth of the Calcasieu river, and landed cargoes of coffee, flour, salt, etc.

The correspondent of the New Orleans Crescent notifies that paper of the arrival at one of the Southern ports of two cargoes of sugar, salt, molasses, etc. It is supposed these are the same vessels reported above.

A correspondent of the New Orleans Crescent reports the seizure of all the blankets on board of steamboats lying at that port, for the army.

The Mobile Tribune says there is every reason to believe that the army of the Union are removing their valuables prior to the evacuation of that place.

From New York.

New York, September 3.—The Post's special says the pickets of both armies are very close to each other on the other side of the Potomac. The rebels had a dress parade this morning on Munson's hill. Their artillery is not yet mounted.

Carle, Assistant District Attorney of the District of Columbia, an intimate friend of Mayor Berrett, resigned to-day.

New York, Sept. 2.—Surveyor Anderson, yesterday seized twenty-six vessels, owned wholly, or in part, by rebels, including eight ships and seven boats. Others will be seized to-day. The value of the vessels seized is over \$2,000,000.

The Commercial's special states that it is reported that there were captured thousands of rebels in the vicinity of Aquia Creek.

Washington is full of rumors of an advance by the rebels, some even stating that they had crossed the Potomac at Edward's Ferry.

New York, Sept. 3.—The Argo arrived to-day. An officer of the returning expedition from Hatteras, reports having seen, near Hampton Roads, a strange steamer towing, what appeared to be a floating battery. It is believed it was intended to obstruct communication between Fortress Monroe and the Potomac.

The Courier des Etats Unis has gone into new hands; it will hereafter drop advocating the Southern rebellion.

The Albany Herald has elected a full delegation of loyalists to the Syracuse Convention.

Military Movements in Southern Missouri.

St. Louis, Sept. 2.—Lexington, Mo., remained in possession of the Federal troops as late as Friday. Reinforcements have reached there before this, and no apprehensions are felt for the safety of the place.

Arrival of the Arabia.

Hampax, Sept. 3.—The steamship Arabia, from Liverpool, Arr. 24, via Queenstown, 25, has arrived.

Breadstuffs inactive. Provisions fall with small sales.

Cotton 9 1/2 @ 9 1/4 for money.

Cotton seed is being regularly shipped to India from Liverpool and a number of cargoes.

Protestants are to be allowed to open schools in France.

A company of Italian soldiers arriving at Ponte Lendole, while being refreshed, were set upon by the people and a number murdered.

The troops retailed the next day by destroying the whole town. One hundred and fifty persons were killed.

Fight in Virginia.

Gallopola, Sept. 2.—A fight took place yesterday at Boone Court House, Va., between the rebels and three companies of Federal troops which resulted in the rout of the rebels, with a loss of thirty killed, a large number wounded, and forty prisoners. None were killed on our side, but six were wounded. Our men burned the town.

The Confiscation Act in Missouri.

Boston, Sept. 2.—Two barks, principally owned in Charleston, S. C., were seized by the Surveyor of this port, to-day, under the Confiscation Act.

Prince Napoleon at Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—Prince Napoleon and suite arrived, and took rooms at the Tremont Hotel this evening. They go from here to St. Louis on Wednesday.

Commercial Matters.

New York Market.

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PROPRIETOR.

The following is an extract from a

letter written by the Rev. J. E. Holm, pastor of the

Pierpont Street Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., to

the "Journal and Messenger," Cincinnati, O., and speaks

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